## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

- 1. (Currently Amended) A method for installing an application, comprising:
  - creating a <u>non-global</u> zone <u>in a global zone</u>, wherein the <u>global zone executes on a first</u> operating system;
  - installing the application in the <u>non-global</u> zone to obtain a remote <u>non-global</u> zone, <u>wherein</u>
    an execution environment of the application in the non-global zone is a partition of the first operating system;
  - packaging the remote <u>non-global</u> zone to obtain an application zone package; and deploying the application zone package in a target global zone <u>to create an installed</u> application in a target non-global zone in the target global zone, wherein the target global zone executes on a second operating system, and wherein an execution environment of the installed application is a partition of the second operating system.
- 2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein installing the application in the <u>non-global</u> zone comprises:
  - determining at least one application configuration parameter for the application; and configuring the remote <u>non-global</u> zone using the at least one application configuration parameter.
- (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein the at least one configuration parameter comprises a network port.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein the at least one configuration parameter comprises a memory parameter.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein the at least one configuration parameter comprises a user account.

6. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein packaging the remote zone comprises: copying the remote <u>non-global</u> zone to obtain a copy of the remote <u>non-global</u> zone; and converting the copy of the remote <u>non-global</u> zone into the application zone package.

- 7. (Original) The method of claim 6, wherein the application zone package is a self-extracting file.
- 8. (Original) The method of claim 6, wherein the application zone package comprises a configuration script.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein deploying the application zone package comprises:

accessing the target global zone;
configuring [[a]] the target non-global zone;
installing the target non-global zone;
unpacking the application zone package to obtain the remote non-global zone; and
copying a copy of the remote non-global zone into a file space occupied by the target nonglobal zone.

- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising: associating the copy of the remote <u>non-global</u> zone in the target global zone with hardware upon which the target global zone is executing.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 10, wherein associating the remote <u>non-global</u> zone in the target global zone with the hardware comprises specifying an internet protocol address.
- 12. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the remote <u>non-global</u> zone is located in a remote global zone.

13. (Currently Amended) A method for installing an application, comprising:

accessing a target global zone, wherein the target global zone executes on a first operating system;

configuring a target non-global zone based on the target global zone; installing the target non-global zone;

unpacking an application zone package to obtain the application and a configuration script, wherein the application zone package is obtained by:

installing the application in a non-global zone of a global zone to obtain a remote

non-global zone, wherein the global zone executes on a second operating

system, wherein an execution environment of the application in the nonglobal zone is a partition of the second operating system; and

packaging the remote non-global zone to obtain the application zone package; and installing the application in the target non-global zone using the configuration script, wherein an execution environment of the application in the target non-global zone is a partition of the first operating system.

## 14. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a target global zone executing on a partition of a first operating system; and an application zone package comprising a remote non-global zone and a configuration script, wherein the configuration script is configured to load the remote non-global zone in the target global zone, wherein an execution environment of the remote non-global zone initially is a partition of a second operating system, wherein an execution environment of the remote non-global zone is a partition of the first operating system when the remote non-global zone is loaded in the target global zone.

wherein the remote <u>non-global</u> zone comprises an installed application, <u>and</u> wherein the first operating system executes on a processor.

15. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 14, further comprising:

a target non-global zone located in the target global zone, wherein the configuration script is configured to copy [[a]] the remote non-global zone into a file space occupied by the target non-global zone.

- 16. (Original) The system of claim 14, wherein the application zone package is a self-extracting file.
- 17. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a target global zone executing on a first operating system; and

an application zone package comprising a configuration script and an application, wherein the application zone package is obtained by:

installing the application in a non-global zone of a global zone to obtain a remote non-global zone, wherein the global zone executes on a second operating system, wherein an execution environment of the application in the non-global zone is a partition of the second operating system; and

packaging the remote non-global zone to obtain the application zone package, and [[;]]

wherein the configuration script is configured to:

create a target non-global zone in the target global zone,

configure the target non-global zone,

install the target non-global zone,

install the application in the target non-global zone to create an installed application, wherein an execution environment of the installed application is a partition of the first operating system, and

configure the application within the target non-global zone, and wherein the first operating system executes on a processor.

18. (Currently Amended) A computer system for installing an application, comprising:

- a processor;
- a memory;
- a storage device; and
- software instructions stored in the memory for enabling the computer system under control of the processor, to:
  - create a remote non-global zone in a global zone, wherein the global zone executes on a first operating system;
  - install the application in the <u>remote non-global</u> zone to obtain a remote <u>non-global</u> zone, wherein an execution environment of the application in the non-global <u>zone is a partition of the first operating system;</u>

package the remote <u>non-global</u> zone to obtain an application zone package; and deploy the application zone package in a target global zone <u>to create an installed</u> application in a target non-global zone in the target global zone, wherein the target global zone executes on a second operating system, and wherein an execution environment of the installed application is a partition of the second operating system.

- 19. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the installing the application and packaging the remote non-global zone is performed by a vendor, and wherein the application zone package is deployed at a location of a first consumer.
- 20. (New) The method of claim 19, further comprising:

  deploying the application zone package at a location of a second consumer.